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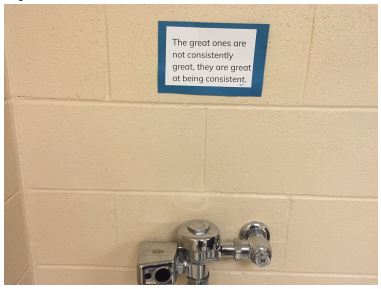
Motivational Quotes Above Urinals Rehabilitate Troubled Teens

By Frederick Durst



LIBERTY, Olentangy -- Recent polls conducted by the school have determined delinquent acts on campus have remained stagnant over the last several years with little improvement. This has begun to stir controversy, as it stands in direct contradiction to the schools mission statement: *Teaching the Youth the Christian Truth.*

A new campaign has been launched in an attempt to make headway on these issues. The administration has authorized that short inspirational quotes be placed above the urinals in the boys restroom.

Now that the girls stopped reading, let's talk about sports and grilling. Man, I love guy talk. But one man is no longer talking. Jack MeHanus (18), was struggling against the dangerous currents of hallway traffic when a wildly thrown paper airplane crashed headlong into MeHanus, killing him instantly.

The pilot of the paper plane, Large Anus (16) claims that the urinal quotes installed around the building have been his only saving grace as he repents for his accidental manslaughter.

"I was just stopping for a leak one day, and I saw the quote. It said '*You'll do great things, even though you accidentally killed that one guy. As long as you buy the Cannon we shall grant you access into heaven.*'" he recited. He explains how this heartwarming movement has not only inspired him to turn his life around, but has also made him realize the value of complimenting somebody when they are exposing their genitals.

This resounding success has prompted the administration to continue the campaign with a list of new potential quotes:

-It's not about the destination, it's about your grades.
-Float like a bee, sting like a bee.
-It's not about how hard you can hit. It's about how many times you can get hit before realizing that if he's got his hand below his waist it's a trick, stupid.
-Get busy living or get busy on your common app.
-Whatever you do, don't look down.
-You miss 100% of the shots you don't take. So take a few steps back, no balls.
-I did not have sexual relations with that woman.
-Fruit salad, yummy yummy.

Local Multi-Million Dollar Corporation Faces Bankruptcy

By Jefferson Steelflex

LIBERTY, Olentangy-- In a shocking news update, it has been reported that the beloved school spirit shop, The Rusty Musket, has filed for bankruptcy. While there has been evidence that the enterprise was going through hard times, nobody could've foreseen such a fall from grace. Our business expert Mr. William Leonard has closely followed the tragic downfall, and has given us insight to the story.

Trouble first loomed during the stolen candy employee crisis, in which missing candy was discovered to be taken by disgraced employee Seymore Janus. Despite the swift firing of the delinquent, stock shares plummeted. This brought panic throughout the company, prompting a new issue: the slushy machine installment. In an effort to get shareholders back on board, CEO Anus Hertz decided it was necessary to expand their products from T-shirts and candy to T-shirts, candy, *and* slushies.

The store, in an attempt to recreate it's image, was then turned into a super duper cool lounge. Unfortunately, the once-loyal customers were not fond of the new business plan, which included locking the doors and playing NCAA football in the dark. Whatever happens, the Rusty Musket must act now to save their brand.

Powell Giant Eagle to be Shut Down

By Raj-Taj Smith

POWELL, Ohio-- Due to a recent health inspection at the Powell Giant Eagle, and one mom's discovery of a singular cockroach in the grocery store bathroom, there are now plans to remove the grocery store. Though there were no traces of radioactive bacterium, the cockroach was the last straw for the store. However, in the wake of this controversy, there is light at the end of the tunnel: the reopening of its predecessor, Big Bear Farms. (BBF)

The grocer has begun to replace the walls of soft drinks and alcoholic beverages shaped into a "Block O"© (and other college football gameday ornamentation) by planting soybeans, wheat, and elephant foot yams. The complimentary, past-expiration lofthouse cookies from the bakery have been removed for the implantation of sweet potato crops (for nutritional facts, see *The Trebuchet: Issue 2*). Most notably, the silos have been relabelled and refilled with various grains for winter storage. This business reconstruction has not only inspired the return of BBF, but other organizations as well.

Among the list, First Commonwealth Bank (Sawmill Rd) is being torn down to reconstruct the barn that preceded the ubiquitous money storage center for, by, around, near, behind, and underneath the people of Powell. The Powell Target has been replaced with grass, crickets, raccoons (among many other stars of the roadkill), and refreshing dirt. Additionally, Park #3000001 in Powell has been removed and replaced with a new senior center (Senior Center #24), and Senior Center #23 has been replaced with a new park, Park #3000002.

I am Part of the Renaissance Inside the Starner Administration

By Anonymous

LIBERTY, Olentangy – I work for the principal but like-minded colleagues and I have vowed to aid all of his agenda and his best inclinations.

Principal Starner is facing a test to the principles of his campaign as principal unlike any faced by a modern American principal. He has had the task of picking up the shambles of the Warfield administration and bringing this school back to glory.

It's not just that the Superintendent looms large. Or the school was bitterly divided over Mr. Principal Warfield's leadership. The dilemma – which he does not fully grasp – is that a matter of seniors are upset at Starner because he does not place athletics above education.

We believe our first duty is to the students, and the principal continues to act in a manner that is beneficial to the mental health of the students.

In addition to his mass-marketing of the notion that the press is "great for the people" Principal Starner's impulses are pro-satire, unlike previous administrations.

Although he was elected as a principal, Mr. Starner shows huge affinity for ideal long espoused by teachers: wanting to learn. There is quite a renaissance within the administration of people choosing to put education first. But the real difference will be made by everyday students rising above expectations.

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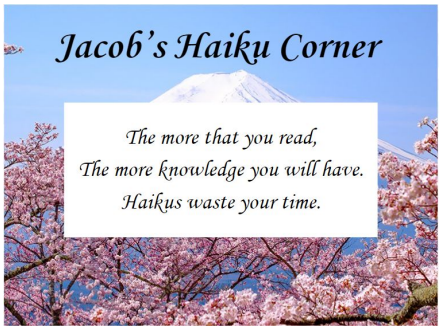
Ask Trebuchet…

By The Trebuchet

Dear Trebuchet Paper,
I was wondering what the optimal siege weapon could be. While I was doing research on the catapult , I found a comment about a trebuchet being able to launch a 90kg projectile over 300m. If this is true, then surely the catapult is of old design and trebuchets are the higher tier siege weapon?
With many Thanks, Canadian Ewok 28

Dear Canadian Ewok 28,
Trebuchets are the highest tier siege weapon, and are far better than the useless catapults, or especially cannons. We are conducting test after school on Mondays at 10:42 PM. If you would like to come and support our experiments we are always looking for new projectiles to launch.

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